

**IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Francis DIERAS et al.

Conf. 1477

Application No. 10/560,243

Group 1797

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Examiner Sean Conley

POST-DISCHARGE PLASMA STERILISATION DEVICE AND METHOD

**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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October 30, 2009

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of October 2, 2009,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.